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To the US Department Of HHS:

Please remove sterilization and prescription contraceptives from the list of "preventive services" you are mandating in private health care plans. As an RN, this new mandate goes against my conscience, and violates my moral and religious convictions.

thankyou for your consideration--  
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